

INFORMATION BULLETIN

WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT

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TO: WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT COMMUNITY

SUBJECT: OPERATION CAREER FRONT—RESOURCES OF HOME DEPOT

The purpose of this bulletin is to advise you that Home Depot, in partnership with the Department of Labor (DOL) and Department of Veterans Affairs, launched Operation Career Front on September 21, 2004, with a press conference in Washington, D.C.

Local Home Depot store Human Resources managers will be coordinating partnership meetings, including participants from One-Stop Career Centers, Family Support Centers, Vocational Rehabilitation Centers, and Marine for Life programs to call attention to hiring opportunities in local areas.

Home Depot will provide a user guide containing detailed instructions on the actual implementation of Operation Career Front. Brochures, posters, and other materials have been printed and are being shipped to One-Stop Career Centers. The One-Stop Career Center managers will be contacted directly by Home Depot local managers about local partnerships and job openings.

One-Stop Career Center staff is not to initiate contact with Home Depot Human Resource Managers.

The latest information is available at DOL Business Relations Group Web site at www.nbpjobs.org/HOMEDEPOT/home_depot.asp.

Local Workforce Investment Areas and One-Stop Center Operators are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to provide employment opportunities to the Veteran community.

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